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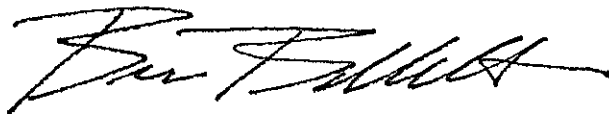
ARIZONA COMMISSION ON CRIME

WHEREAS, the public interest requires coordination of the efforts of state, local and county criminal justice agencies to further the improvement of the criminal justice system.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Arizona by the Arizona Constitution and the Laws of Arizona, it is ordered as follows:

- I. Establishment of the Arizona Commission on Crime.
 - A. The Arizona Commission on Crime (hereinafter referred to as the "Commission") is hereby created in the Executive Office of the Governor and subject to the jurisdiction of the Governor.
 - B. The Commission shall consist of members chosen by the Governor, who shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor. Members of the Commission shall include representatives of law enforcement agencies including police, prosecution, corrections, and the judiciary. The Commission shall also include representatives of the general public, including those interested in the causes and prevention of crime and juvenile delinquency. Members of the Commission shall serve without compensation, but within the limits of funds available shall be entitled to reasonable reimbursement for all necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties.
 - C. The Governor shall appoint a chairman for a term of one year who shall serve until a successor is appointed.
 - D. Commission members shall serve staggered terms of no more than three years to be determined at the discretion of the Governor. Members may be reappointed for one additional three-year term.
 - E. The Commission shall at least meet quarterly and at other times at the call of the chairman. A majority of voting members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.
- II. Functions and Duties of the Arizona Commission on Crime.
 - A. The Commission shall develop policies, plans, and programs for improving the coordination, administration, and effectiveness of the Arizona criminal justice system.
 - B. The Commission shall define, develop and correlate programs and establish priorities for crime prevention and for improvement in law enforcement and criminal justice, including juvenile delinquency prevention.
 - C. The Commission shall provide a periodic forum for leaders and recognized professionals of juvenile and criminal justice programs from both the public and private sector to discuss major issues concerning the criminal justice system.
 - D. The Commission may request and receive from any department, division, board, or commission or other agency of the state or any political subdivision thereof or any public authority such assistance, information and data as will enable the Commission to carry out its functions, powers and duties.
 - E. The Commission may contract with other agencies in furtherance of its programs.
 - F. The Commission may accept grants, matching funds and direct payments from public or private agencies for the conduct of programs which are consistent with the general purposes and objectives of this Order.
 - G. The Commission shall adopt such procedures as may be necessary or convenient to the performance of the functions and duties of the Commission.
 - H. The Commission shall periodically report to the Governor concerning its work.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona



GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-fifth day of November in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-one and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Fifth.

ATTEST:


Secretary of State

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